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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE) TRANSMITTAL



(INCLUDING FILING FEE AND/OR PETITION FOR
EXTENSION OF TIME FEE)

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective May 29, 2000
provides for continued examination of a utility or plant application
filed on or after June 8, 1995.
See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA)

To: Commissioner for Patents
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Attorney Docket No.: 1448.1051

First Named Inventor Yoshinori KATAYAMA et al.

Application No.	10/780,597	Group Art Unit	2167
Filing Date	February 19, 2004	Examiner	Cheryl R. Lewis
CPA Filing Date		Confirmation No	3379
Title of Invention	METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING PERSONAL CONNECTION INFORMATION, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT		

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

1.

Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 (Box a or b must be completed)


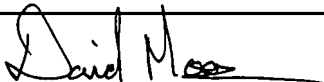
- a. ☒ Previously submitted
- i. ☒ Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on August 6, 2007
(Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
- ii. ☐ Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on ____
- iii. ☐ Other
- b. ☒ Enclosed
- i. ☐ Amendment/Reply
- ii. ☐ Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
- iii. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
- iv. ☒ Other Letter Requesting Examiner Interview

2.

Miscellaneous

- a. ☐ Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. §103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i) required).
- b. ☐ Other

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	BASIC FEE	\$	790.00
Since an Official Action set an <u>original</u> due date of <u>July 6, 2007</u> , petition is hereby made for an extension of time to cover the date this RCE is filed, for which the requisite fee is enclosed (1 month (\$120)); (2 months (\$450)); (3 months (\$1,020)); (4 months (\$1,590)); (5 months (\$2,160)):			
Suspension Fee (\$130.00)			
Total of above Calculations =		\$	790.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by small entity (Note 37 C.F.R. 1.9, 1.27, 1.28).			
TOTAL FEES DUE =		\$	790.00
4. <input type="checkbox"/> Small entity status: a. <input type="checkbox"/> Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status. b. <input type="checkbox"/> A Verified Statement Claiming Small Entity Status was previously filed and such status is still proper and desired. c. <input type="checkbox"/> is no longer claimed. 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Other:			
		The PTO did not receive the following listed Item(s) <u>a check \$ 790.00</u>	
6. METHOD OF PAYMENT			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of \$ <u>\$790.00</u> is enclosed. <input type="checkbox"/> Charge "TOTAL FEES DUE" to Deposit Account No. 19-3935. (A duplicate copy of this form is enclosed.)			
7. GENERAL AUTHORIZATION			
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to credit any overpayment or charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 (filing fees) or 37 C.F.R. 1.17 (processing fees) during the prosecution of this application and of any related application(s) claiming benefit hereof pursuant to 35 U.S.C. §120 to maintain pendency hereof and of any such related application to: Deposit Account No. 19-3935.			
8. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS			
STAAS & HALSEY LLP  21171 <small>PATENT TRADEMARK OFFICE</small>			
9. SIGNATURE OF ATTORNEY OR AGENT REQUIRED			
NAME	David E. Moore	REGISTRATION NO.	59,047
SIGNATURE		DATE	<u>8/6/07</u>



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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Yoshinori KATAYAMA et al.

Serial No. 10/780,597

Group Art Unit: 2167

Confirmation No. 3379

Filed: February 19, 2004

Examiner: Cheryl R. Lewis

For: METHOD OF AND APPARATUS FOR DISPLAYING PERSONAL CONNECTION
INFORMATION, AND COMPUTER PRODUCT

REQUEST FOR EXAMINER INTERVIEW

Commissioner for Patents
PO Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

If, after reviewing the Amendment filed on August 6, 2007, the above-referenced application is not placed in a condition suitable for allowance, the Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned prior to the next Office Action to arrange for an Examiner Interview.

Respectfully submitted,

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Date: 8/6/07

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